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CONFIRMATION NO. 3249

FORMALITIES LETTER

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 385 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration: Matthew R. Selmon & Rob Deckman
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

 Additional claim fees of \$514 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$964 for a Small Entity

- \$385 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$514



• \$172 for 4 independent claims over 3.

\$342 for **38** total claims over 20.

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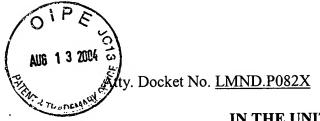
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In Re	Patent Application of:)	Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
	Matthew R. Selmon, et al.)	Art Unit: 3763
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Sir:

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In response to a Notice to File Missing Parts mailed June 25, 2004 in connection with the above-referenced application, applicant has enclosed the following:

- (1) one (1) Declaration pursuant to 37 CFR 1.63;
- (2) one (1) Assignment and accompanying Recordation Form Cover Sheet;
- (3) check number 3655 in the amount of \$1,004.00 including:
 - (a) Oath or Declaration Surcharge of \$65.00 under 37 CFR 1.16(e);
 - (b) Statutory basic filing fee for a small entity of \$385.00;
 - (c) Additional claim fees for a small entity of \$514.00; and
 - (d) Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 under 37 CFR 3.41.
- (4) a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts;

Please charge Deposit Account No. <u>501914</u> for any fee deficiency that may be due. A duplicate of this Response is enclosed for Deposit Account charging purposes. Respectfully Submitted,

Date 08-13-2004

Richard L. Gregory, Jr

Reg. No. 42,607

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✓ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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to the above-identified deposit account.	1251 110 2251 55 Extension for reply within first month			
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1. BASIC FILING FEE Large Entity Small Entity	1253 950 2253 475 Extension for reply within third month			
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1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee	1451 1,510 1451 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 385.00	1452 110 2452 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable			
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1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20 1201 86 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3	1809 770 2809 385 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))			
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1204 86 2204 43 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent	examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) 1801 770 2801 385 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			
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Amendment/Response (pgs.)
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